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In the application of:

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Examiner:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated June 3, 2004 for which a response was due on September 3, 2004 and for which a two-month extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response from September 3, 2004 to November 3, 2004.